

YEAR ENDING WAS NOTED POLITICALLY FOR GOP VICTORY

**Tremendous Landslide In
Nov. Gave Republicans
Control of Both Houses**

LEFTISTS CUT DOWN

**Pres. Truman, After The
Election Veered to The
Middle of The Road**

By William K. Hutchins
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The year 1946 was notable politically chiefly for the tremendous Republican victory in November that gave the GOP control of both branches of the new Congress.

It was the first Congressional victory for the Republicans since 1930. The sweep spells doom for much of the legislation enacted under the late Franklin D. Roosevelt's New Deal.

The year found the American electorate veering to the right in political differences. Many a leftist was cut down at the polls.

President Truman also veered politically. The chief executive moved into the middle of the road from a leftist position.

Mr. Truman gave evidence early in the year that he was swinging toward center, in his showdown with ex-Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes, long a cabinet liberal, over the nomination of Ed. Pauley as under secretary of the navy.

Largely as a result of Ickes' bitter opposition, Pauley was beaten. But Ickes' resignation was quickly and brusquely accepted by the President.

The cabinet ouster of Henry Wallace as Secretary of Commerce was an even more spectacular demonstration of Mr. Truman's rejection of leftist influences.

Wallace was fired as a direct result of this "two worlds" speech advocating a "go-easy-with-Russia" policy.

This was in direct opposition to the stand taken by Secretary of State James F. Byrnes. The President backed Byrnes 100 per cent and Wallace retired from the public payroll to become a spokesman for "liberal" elements of the Democratic party.

The middle-of-the-road attitude assumed by Mr. Truman as the nation swung to the right was nowhere more apparent than in his decision to lift price controls after the compromise OPA revival act proved unworkable.

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Miss Rheyra Leary Is Hostess at A Party

CROYDON, Dec. 31.—Miss Rheyra Leary entertained several friends at a Christmas party on Friday evening.

The table was attractively decorated for the Christmas season. Streamers from a centerpiece held a gift for each guest.

Refreshments were served to the Misses "Betty" Poston, Florence Paletti and Alice Spelling; John Diamond, Mr. Williams, George Boyer and Robert Scheer.

Miss Leary is home on Christmas vacation from Peabody Conservatory, Baltimore, Md.

HURT IN FALL

Mrs. H. Johnson, who was hurt in a fall, was removed from Heston Hall, Woodside, to Burlington Co. Hospital, Mt. Holly, N. J., during the week-end by Bucks Co. Rescue Squad.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING 9 A. M.
AT ROSS & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings	
Maximum	35 F.
Minimum	17 F.
Range	18 F.
Hourly Temperature	
8 a. m. yesterday	35
9	34
10	35
11	35
12 noon	34
1	34
2	34
3	34
4	34
5	29
6	28
7	28
8	25
9	25
10	22
11	22
12 midnight	19
1 a. m. today	18
2	17
3	17
4	17
5	17
6	17
7	19
8	20
P. C. Relative Humidity	
Precipitation (inches)	.97
TIDES AT BRISTOL	
High water	8:53 a. m.; 9:19 p. m.
Low water	3:34 a. m.; 3:55 p. m.

THE BRISTOL COURIER

BRISTOL, PA., TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 31, 1946

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Light snow tonight and Wednesday. Continued rather cold.

Price: 2c a Copy; 10c a Week

McAndrews Arrange A Party for Little Girl

A party was given on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. William P. McAndrew. Lafayette street, in honor of their daughter, Michelle Donne's third birthday, which will occur on January 1st. Decorations were in pink and blue, and favors were boxes of nuts and candy. The little tot played games and refreshments were served. Michelle received many gifts.

Those attending: Frances Venero, Judith Castor, Helen and Teresa Mariani, Carmella Palumbo, Ronald and Fred Marino, Francis and Thomas Carango, John Romano, and Edmund Spadacino.

NAB 2 IN CONNECTION WITH XMAS HOLD-UP

**State Police Arrest Negroes
At Norristown; Charge,
Feasterville Robbery**

CASH LOOT IS \$36.00

FEASTERVILLE, Dec. 31.—Pennsylvania State Police of Langhorne barracks, in co-operation with Norristown police, arrested in Norristown yesterday two colored men charged with robbery while armed, in connection with the Christmas eve hold-up of a gasoline station here.

The ones under arrest are: Nathaniel Nelson, 30, and George Clary, 29, both of Norristown.

It is charged that the men entered the gasoline station of Joseph Freed, Buck Road, Feasterville, at 8:15 Christmas eve, and robbed Freed of approximately \$36. Freed was alone at the time. The men, one of whom is said to have been armed, were not masked. The getaway is said to have taken place in Clary's car.

One of the men was removed to a Norristown jail, and the other is being held in Bristol municipal building. Both are to be removed to Bucks County prison at Doylestown. Officers Dane and Carfagno were the investigating officers from Langhorne barracks.

Mrs. Edward C. Morgan Dies Near Morrisville

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 31.—Death occurred on Saturday for Mrs. Essie Morgan, 61, wife of Edward C. Morgan, 61, of the Lincoln Highway.

Mrs. Morgan's husband and son, William Jones, survive. Plans are being made for the services which will be announced later, burial to occur in Ewing Cemetery, Ewing, N. J.

LUNCHEON GUESTS

Miss Marjory Fallon, Jefferson avenue, entertained at luncheon on Friday afternoon at her home, guests being a few friends who attended Mercy Academy and Hallahan Girls' Catholic high school, Philadelphia. Those participating: the Misses Ann Spill, "Betty" Kelly, Mary Virginia Ott, Edna McGuckin, Jane Young, Marion Barrington, Philadelphia; Charlotte Heilmann and Mary Lou Dixon, Bristol.

ANNOUNCE BIRTHS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Schonboller, Bristol Terrace 1, this morning in Harriman Hospital.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wisniewski, Morrisville, a son this morning in Harriman Hospital.

HAPPY NEW YEAR?

Tomorrow starts a New Year. Its name is 1947. Will it be happy or otherwise?

That depends upon many things. It will be different from its recent predecessors in one important point: for the first time since the Roosevelt inauguration in 1933, the Republican Party will have a voice in at least one important branch of the national government.

On Friday of this week, as a result of the landslide of votes last November, the Republicans will take command of both Houses of Congress. They will appoint the new officers and committees, will control the pattern thereafter.

They will be able to do anything which the Constitution permits Congress to undertake—save only that their majorities are not large enough to permit an overriding of a Presidential veto. For this to be done would call for one or the other wing of the Democratic party to side with the Republicans.

The profound effects of this change have not yet been felt. There has been, of course, a "retiring in good order" of many extreme positions the New Deal leaders took—starting with the scrapping of food price controls before the election, and continuing down to the recent important resignations of highly-placed administration figures, like Wyatt and Allen.

But a basic shifting of the nation's objectives, and of the approach by which these objectives will be sought, is inevitable. Undecided too is the question of exactly how much authority the new Republican majorities will be able to exercise in molding public policy. Several considerations are involved. Will the Republican party stand united, or will it dissipate its strength in family quarrels? Will the tactical battles of its rival candidates for the Presidency immobilize it? Is it safe to count on the President's promises of co-operation, in the carrying out of a program necessarily different from his own ideas? Will the so-called Southern Democrats continue to support the same broad program which they have supported in the past, and which largely coincides with the Republican program?

But whatever the answer to these and other questions, the New Year will differ widely from the past fourteen.

Straws are in the wind, to show the direction of the currents. The nature of battle itself, as well as its outcome, still is in the hands of fate.

The Republicans did not win a war last November—they merely got a ticket to a fight still coming up.

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BUCKS FARM CROPS IN '45 WERE \$17,937,575

**Figures Revealed Through
Census Report of Dept.
of Commerce**

ACREAGES ARE GIVEN

The total value of farm products in Bucks County for 1945 is shown by a census report to be \$17,937,575.

County Agent William F. Green-awalt today announced that the Department of Commerce has released some preliminary data on Bucks county agriculture in 1945.

There were 4,069 farms with 267,449 acres. Of this acreage 188,656 acres was tilled, woodland, 27,590 acres; pasture, 38,865 acres; and 12,336 acres in other uses. Of the Bucks county farms, 394 were operated by tenants, 2,940 by full owners, 642 by part owners, and 93 by managers.

The average size of farm was 65.9 acres. The range was 56 farms under three acres, up to four farms over 1,000 acres.

Seven hundred and forty-three farms were listed as commercial dairies, 1,086 as poultry farms, 187 as livestock farms, 372 as general farms, and 842 as producing products primarily for own household use.

ENGAGEMENT-DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. James Dolan, 645 Pine street, entertained at a family dinner on Christmas. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. John Coffman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dolan and family, Miss Doris Dolan, James Tyler, Mr. Rose Knowles and Daniel Peoples.

During the dinner the engagement of Miss Doris Dolan, Bristol, and James Tyler, Croydon, was announced. The wedding will take place in June.

GRANTED LICENSE

Joseph L. Donnelly, 308 Buckley street, has received his amateur radio license, and will operate a wireless and wireless telephone station from the above address. Government license being No. W3MOL.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ventriglia, of Philadelphia, are being congratulated upon the birth of a son in St. Joseph's Hospital, Philadelphia, on Sunday.

'47 TO BE USHERED IN IN NUMBER OF WAYS

**Private Parties, Night Club
Gatherings, and Church
Services on Schedule**

CELEBRANTS PREPARE

The year 1947 will be ushered in in a variety of ways this midnight.

Those who plan to mark the occasion will at the stroke of midnight celebrate in various manners—some at private parties, others at public functions, night clubs, and still others at Watch Night services in houses of worship.

Dances are on the schedule, one for lower Bucks County being at the Langhorne Country Club, with Junior Sorosis as sponsor and with servicemen admitted free.

Some lodges and several public clubs in the area are ready for the celebrants, with highlights of the evening reached at the stroke of midnight.

A union Watch Night service for worshippers is scheduled for this evening at 11 o'clock in Bristol Methodist Church. The Rev. Leon T. Moore, superintendent of the South District, Philadelphia Methodist Conference, will give the address; and Andrew MacArthur and James S. Douglass will sing.

A New Year's eve service will be held at eight o'clock in Calvary Baptist Church. Special music, sound Gospel film, refreshments are to be included. The pastor, Lehman Straus, will speak on "My Text for the Year."

A Watch Night service is to take place in First Baptist Church at the hour of eight. The young people will conduct a game period, then at 10 the Social Circle members will serve refreshments, with a worship service in the auditorium at 11.

Special New Year service will be held in the Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour at 10 o'clock, at which time a special offering will be taken for the Christian Protestant Hospital of Naples, Italy.

The Protestant Hospital of Naples was started by the American Army Chaplains during World War II.

PLAN TO MARRY

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Ann Sottile, 413 Lafayette street, to William McCaughy, of Hulmeville.

Dinner and Cards Are Arranged at Flatch Home

A party was held Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Anthony Flatch, Swain street.

Guests were Mrs. Howard Osterhondt, Mrs. Joseph Flatch, Mrs. Hugh Barton, Miss Rena Barbero and Miss Margaret McFadden, Bristol; Mrs. Edward Schenoss, Trenton, N. J.; Mrs. Hershel Neely, Port Alleghe, Pa.

The evening was enjoyed playing cards, and prizes were won by Mrs. Schenoss and Mrs. Neely. Dinner was served at eight o'clock. The decorations were in keeping with the holiday season and small point-settias were favors.

MAIL HANDLED HERE IS "HEAVIEST EVER"

**232,300 Pieces of 1st Class
Mail and Letter Sized
Cards in 8 Days**

DEC. 18 BIGGEST DAY

Checking back over cancellation records for the Christmas period, officials at Bristol post office announce that the peak day for first class mail this season was December 18th.

On that day, just one week previous to Christmas, a total of 43,180 pieces of first class mail and letter size Christmas cards were cancelled at the local post office.

The total cancellations for first class and letter size cards here from Dec. 16th to 24th inclusive was 232,300—making 1946 what is believed to be the greatest year in the history of the post office.

In addition to the figures listed above there was much metered mail from local business firms, likewise packages, etc.

The packages for overseas mailing—to men and women still in the service of their country, and for relief of relatives and friends abroad, made up much of the parcel mail this year, and the regular and special clerks and carriers found themselves busy for the '46 Christmas season.

"All packages, letters, newspapers, magazines and circular mail on the city routes were delivered by Christmas eve," states assistant postmaster John Boyle.

Fifteen extra carriers were added on December 18th, they serving eight hours daily during the holiday season. On the 16th of December, seven additional clerks commenced work at the post office, their time being five to eight hours daily.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

CROYDON, Dec. 31.—At a party held last week at the home of Mrs. Marie Schreiner, Nesaminy Road, Croydon Manor, announcement was made of the engagement of Miss Althea Newman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Newman, Philadelphia, to Joseph John Schreiner, son of Mrs. Marie Schreiner. The wedding date has not been set. Guests at the affair were: Miss Theresa Glass, Miss Marie Shudell, John T. Moore, superintendent of the South District, Philadelphia Methodist Conference, will give the address; and Andrew MacArthur and James S. Douglass will sing.

GIRL FOR COOMBS

Mr. and Mrs. John Coombs, 28 Fourth avenue, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter in Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J. Mrs. Coombs is the former Mildred Houser.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Officially Declares World War II Ended

Washington—President Truman today formally terminated the hostilities of World War Two. The President in a dramatic year-end proclamation declared: "It is my belief that the time has come when such a declaration can properly be made, and that it is in the public interest to make it."

The proclamation was effective today at 12 noon (EST). The Chief Executive's action terminates Government wartime emergency powers under some 20 statutes.

"It should be noted that the proclamation does not terminate the States of Emergency declared by President Roosevelt on September 8, 1939, and May 27, 1941. Nor does today's action have the effect of terminating the state of war itself. It terminates merely the period of hostilities. With respect to the termination of the National Emergency and the State of War I shall make recommendations to the Congress in the near future."

Union Plans Financial Back-Log

Detroit—The UAW-CIO membership was assessed one dollar per member today to build up the International Union's strike fund. George F. Addes, Secretary-Treasurer, reports the Union hopes to pile up a backlog of about one million dollars.

Says Eisenhower "Worthy" of Presidency

Washington—Sen. Arthur Capper (R) Kans., said today that his fellow Kansan, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, is "worthy of the great honor of being President of the United States."

Sen. Capper's statement followed publication in the Washington Times-Herald of a copyright story reporting that Eisenhower had told friends he would seek the presidency in 1948 "if the people of the country want me to run."

The veteran Kansan Senator said: "I cannot undertake to define Gen. Eisenhower's politics. 'But I know that he is worthy of the great honor of being President of the United States.' 'There is a fine, friendly feeling toward the General in Kansas on the presidential matter.'"

Inside Your Congress

Parable of The Two Prospectors

—BY—
SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL
"The Gentleman from
Indiana"

Once there were two prospectors, Grizzly Pete and Slow Joe. This was way back in 1946, when talk had it that there was gold in them hills. So these two sage rats lit out for the tall country. Pete went up one gulch and Joe another.

But contrary to custom, they didn't go solitary. Each of them had two men to help.

Well, sir, before snow come, Grizzly Pete got hit with a horseshoe. Regular bonanza. Time he filled in his income tax report he was \$50,000 in the clear.

But Slow Joe drew nothing but dunes. Time he got back to Dead End Emporium for some tinseltar, he had gone off the gold standard complete. In short, he was on the hammer while Pete was swimming in gravy.

Well, the pick and shovel huskies who had worked for the prospectors got together one night and voted to raise their pay, equal. They hired a fellow named Nathan who had worked for the Government and knew everything.

So Nathan put all the figures together and made his Report. This was the way he looked:

Grizzly Pete	\$50,000
Slow Joe	0
Net Profit	\$50,000
"The profits of the Gold Mining Industry in 1946 were \$50,000 free and clear," Nathan said. "It follows"	

BABY DERBY OPENS HERE AT MIDNIGHT

**Merchants and Businessmen
Offer Variety of Prizes
To the Winner**

READ RULES CLOSELY

The stroke of midnight tonight will not only herald the arrival of 1947, but it will also usher in one of Bristol's biggest annual events.

For with the death knell of the present year the Bristol Courier's 1947 Baby Derby will be in full swing.

The Derby, made possible by the Courier and a group of co-operating businessmen, this year will be the biggest ever, as far as awards to the winner are concerned.

Otherwise, however, the contest at this moment is most uncertain. Nobody can predict the winner. Nobody knows who the contestants will be.

The big question now is, "Who will be the first baby to be born of parents living in this area in 1947?"

That baby, provided he is officially entered in the Baby Derby, will receive a bounteous and lovely array of gifts from the merchants who have made the Derby possible.

Highlighting the gifts for the sixth straight year will be a \$25 Savings Bond from the Keystone Dairy Company, Fond street.

And a well-known Bucks County realtor, Richard W. Fechtenburg, Eddington, will open a saving account for the winner with a \$15 deposit to the winner's credit.

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APPOINTMENTS ARE MADE AT SESSION OF COUNTY COURT

**Albertis E. Shick Is Named
Constable of Durham
Township**

BEDMINSTER AUDITOR

**Two Divorces Are Granted
And Opinions Are
Handed Down**

DOYLESTOWN, Dec. 31.—Two divorces were granted, opinions were handed down and appointments made yesterday at a session of miscellaneous court. The trial list for the January term of Bucks county civil and equity court starting January 13, was read.

President Judge Hiram H. Keller dismissed an appeal from the refusal of the Liquor Control Board to grant a restaurant liquor license to Guglielmo Guarnaccio for the premises known as "Queen Inn," Lincoln Highway, Falls Township, and placed the costs on the appellant.

Judge Keller also granted two divorces, one in the case of Gustaf Knautt, of Castle Valley, from Sophie Miller Knautt, of 1815 Frankford avenue, Philadelphia, on grounds of desertion; and the other in the case of Edwin Eugene Ecker, of Bridge Valley, from Anna Bella Ecker, of Bridge Valley, on grounds of indignities to the person. The Knautts were married Feb. 1, 1926, at Philadelphia, and the Eckers on March 3, 1900, at Eastville, Va.

The petition for the appointment of a constable in Durham Township to fill the vacancy left by the failure of Thomas Fisher, the regularly elected constable of the district, to file a bond and qualify to serve as constable, was filed. Judge Keller appointed Albertis E. Shick.

Judge Keller also appointed Isaac M. Derstine as auditor of Bedminster Township to fill the vacancy left by the death of William Saltzman. The appointment of Arlington Mathias to the office of auditor in Hancock Township, caused by the resignation of Winfield H. Keller, was also approved by Judge Keller.

Two opinions were handed down by Judge Keller as follows:

In the case of Samuel Bick and Benjamin Kaminsky, trading as Warren Electric and Hardware Supply Company, a rule to show cause why the name of William Charles should not be added on the record as party defendant was made absolute and the prothonotary of Bucks County was directed to enter the name of William Charles as party defendant on the record in this case—and the rule for judgment for want of sufficient affidavit of defense was dismissed.

In the case of John Vacha against Joseph Vacha, the defendant's motion to strike off plaintiff's statement was sustained in an opinion handed down by Judge Keller who directed the statement stricken off with leave to plaintiff to file a new or amended statement within 15 days from this date.

Nina Ruggeri, Aged 16, Is Tendered A Party

A surprise party was given to Miss Nina Ruggeri by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ruggeri, on December 26, to begin Nina's birthday anniversary. The affair was held in a Lafayette street hall.

Among those present: Clarence Bennett, Anthony Dallas, James Bradley, Robert McGill, Thomas Burr, Burlington, N. J.; Robert Norris, David Cordisco, James Coyne, Joseph DePaul, Homer Dunkelberger, D. DeLase, Samuel Imperato, Thomas Ruggeri, Jean DiRenzo, Mary Pica, Stella DiSabato, Julia Tibone, Elizabeth Donnelly, Patricia Alia, Bette Jane Welsh, Mary Pavletti, Rosalie Conti, James Poliziana, Elizabeth Marozzi, Norma McChesney, Miss Rose Imperato, Mrs. Joseph Ruggeri, Mrs. James Castor and daughter, Joanne, Mrs. Rose Castor, Mrs. A. Liberatore, Mrs. J. Calone, Mrs. Joseph Papotto, Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Papotto, Marie and Rose Papotto, Mrs. Rose Bianchini and son, Armand, Jr., Bristol.

Miss Ruggeri received many gifts.

REMOVE PATIENTS

Patients removed by Bucks Co. Rescue Squad yesterday include: Mrs. Alfred Newcomb and baby from Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, to their home at Bristol Terrace II.

Frederick Harms, West Bristol, to his home from Abington Hospital.

Mrs. Mabel Lewis, Bristol Terrace II, to Nazareth Hospital, Phila.

William Wright, Lafayette street, to Hahnemann Hospital, Phila.

Mrs. Anna Ferrara, Lafayette St., to St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J.

BOY FOR POWELLS

TREVOSE, Dec. 31.—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Powell in Abington Hospital a few days ago.

Happy New Year

Best Wishes for a Happy New Year are extended by
The Courier to its readers, advertisers and other friends,
with the hope that 1947 will be both prosperous and happy
throughout.

Tomorrow, New Year's Day, being observed as a
holiday, the office of The Bristol Printing Co. will be
closed all day, there being no issue of The Bristol Courier
tomorrow.

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STALE JOKES

Sometimes a joke grows so shop worn that it brings a laugh for the simple reason everybody has heard it a hundred times. "Who was that lady I saw you with last night?" is typical.

Some of the jokes now going over the air nightly are too old to get even the secondary laugh. Every evening the ears are assaulted with jokes about Bing Crosby's horses coming in last, Guy Lombardo's relatives or Jack Benny's alleged stinginess. Then once a week Fred Allen kicks Benny in the teeth and Benny never fails to let Fred have it.

It is doubtful if anybody has laughed over these jokes for years, yet they continue to come over the air.

A jokesmith's job is one of the hardest on earth. But making jokes is a profession and a man who is good at his profession turns out good work. Jokesmiths who repeat all saws year in and year out are shipping.

Apparently the vice presidents of the networks have no intention of doing something about the old jokes. They probably have bigger worries. The public has held its collective nose. The press has printed ridicule and radio itself has lambasted the aged stinkers. Still there is no reform.

There is one hope left. The sponsors can inter these long-dead jokes. Stale jokes may give the public the impression a sponsor's product is stale. When this idea permeates to the man who foots the bill it is a safe bet some of the be-whiskered jests will be deleted from radio programs.

GETTING THE FACTS

During World War II Americans discovered that their system of military intelligence was both faulty and inadequate. At Pearl Harbor the Japanese caught American forces entirely by surprise. For many months afterward the U. S. had to lean heavily on the British espionage network for information about the axis.

After these experiences most Americans are ready to welcome heartily any proposal to set up a system of gathering information which will keep Uncle Sam fully informed about the activities of other nations. An alert intelligence system, in fact, is more essential now than it was five years ago since it is much easier to launch a devastating surprise attack with the weapons now in use than with those employed by the Japanese in the attack on Pearl Harbor.

Some doubt has been expressed that the proposal of the House Military Affairs Committee for the development, within the Army, of a strong military espionage arm is the right answer to this need. The chief trouble with American intelligence before the war was that the Army rarely knew what data the Navy had collected and that the State Department was not fully informed of what either of the services knew.

The recommendation of the House committee is the result of a year's careful study and is backed by members of both parties.

HAPPY NEW YEAR?

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The radical elements in American life have begun altering their own position for defensive purposes. The CIO's shift on wage-strike policy, and its return to the outmoded schemes of economic controls, is one such readjustment. Henry Wallace, out of the Cabinet and into the publishing business, has swung over to a new front. The President himself—a year too late to do his party any good—showed a sudden boldness in dealing with John L. Lewis in the coal strike which proves how much his own viewpoint has changed.

During recent months a young army of hitherto ardent supporters of the New Deal has found it expedient to slip over into the ranks of the "capitalism" they had been fighting, and seek some of its fruits in private industry.

Some will recall the adage about the rats and the sinking ship. Others may be more kindly in their judgment. But the facts speak for themselves. The boys are running for cover.

That some of them may have good reason to run is indicated by growing hints of Congressional probes on a host of fronts.

The mere fact that, for the first time in years, the lid may be lifted by hands other than those of the friends of the accused, and impartial investigations may show the extent to which greed, self-interest and favoritism has helped in the despoilation of the country's resources—this fact alone will make a difference.

Those in business in this country recently had a rude proof of the extent to which their fate, as private businessmen, had been trembling on the balance under the previous regime.

That was the "portal-to-portal" pay decision by the Federal court, in the first instance involving only a trivial sum to an obscure union—but now snowballed into a series of suits which would virtually bankrupt innumerable plants.

This "pro-labor" decision revealed a joker in the Fair Labor Standards Act which has been hanging like a sword of Damocles over the head of private enterprise. How can any firm do business intelligently, when it is exposed to the collection of millions of dollars in "back pay" for employment rolls it closed years before?

The basic impudence of a scheme whereby these suits are to be brought, not for time actually put in, nor time representing any productive work whatever, but by a legal loophole to cover time never before contemplated as being the employer's responsibility—going to and from work in the plants, is a matter which defies logic.

How many other such traps have been set by pro-Communist fingers, waiting only a signal to be sprung?

And how many of them, unlike this one, which was directed towards those engaged in private industry, are pitfalls intended to snare the American people themselves and destroy their liberty?

No one knows. They may be many or few. But the big difference is that, beginning Friday, a new type of Congress will be on hand, more interested in fair-play and Constitutional government than in trying further experiments in collectivism.

Those who are in business in any way—even down to the housewife making the business decision of how to spend the family's weekly earnings—can read into the matter of portal-pay a profoundly important lesson.

They'd better get into politics and stay there—or one of these days the pro-Communist plotters will succeed in putting them out of business.

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therefore, as night the day, that Pete can pay his men 25 per cent more and Slow Joe likewise. So all you got to do is to have industry-wide bargaining to raise your pay.

So the men organized themselves into the Amalgamated Pay Dirt Finders, C.I.O., and notified Pete and Joe that they craved to bargain collectively—or else!

Well, from now on this tale turns sad. Pete said, "You can't take my money to pay Joe's men. I didn't hire them. It's only in Russia where stallion grabs of one man's profits to pay another man's losses. Why don't you go to Russia?" he says, "over there you can share the losses likewise."

"No," the men said, "We don't want to go to Russia and share the losses. All we want is more dough clear across the board. And Mr. Nathan proves conclusive that you can pay mine."

"Conclusive, nothing," said Slow Joe. "Then figures ain't right. They show I broke even when I dropped \$10,000 and am in hook for said sum. I need some humanitarian to restore my credit so's I can get another crumb-stake. How about your work-in for me for nothing until you wipe out my loss?"

"Charge it to the Government," said the men.

So they got nowhere even after they called in a Government Mediator. The Mediator could talk gibberish, but he couldn't talk sense. So the men struck. And the prospecting stopped. And no more nuggets were found by anybody. And the country went bust! All except Nathan, who collected in advance.

P.S. The automobile industry, electrical equipment manufacturers, the Western Union Company, etc., have lost money. The railroads, merchant marine shipping and the construction industry just about broke even. Other businesses made money, some a lot of it. But we now have a new idea. It is the pooling of income, industry wide or nation wide. The Nathan report lumps all business in one pile, as in Russia. It forces companies which lost money to increase their wages and costs, and price their goods out of the market. It is an invitation to depression.

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EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dick entertained on Christmas at a family dinner party. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Krenpecke, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dick, Trenton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. John Dick, Bristol; Miss Catherine Dick and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kurko and family, Edgely.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols and children, "Bobbie", Leonard, Shirley and Alice, of Glenn St. Mary, Pa., have arrived to spend the holidays with Mrs. Nichols' parents, Stanley Felkner, RM 2/3, Washington, D. C., is enjoying the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Felkner.

A holiday dinner was served on Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Blinthe, Sr., their

family enjoyed Christmas with Mrs. Felkner's parents in Philadelphia. Holiday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shegda included Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fedirko and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fedirko, Elizabeth, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Racht enjoyed the week-end in Honesdale visiting Mrs. William Hensey and Mr. and Mrs. George Schott.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Booz will have as guests over the holiday, Mrs. Booz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roush, of Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Welker entertained at dinner on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pittman and daughter Arlene, and George Welker.

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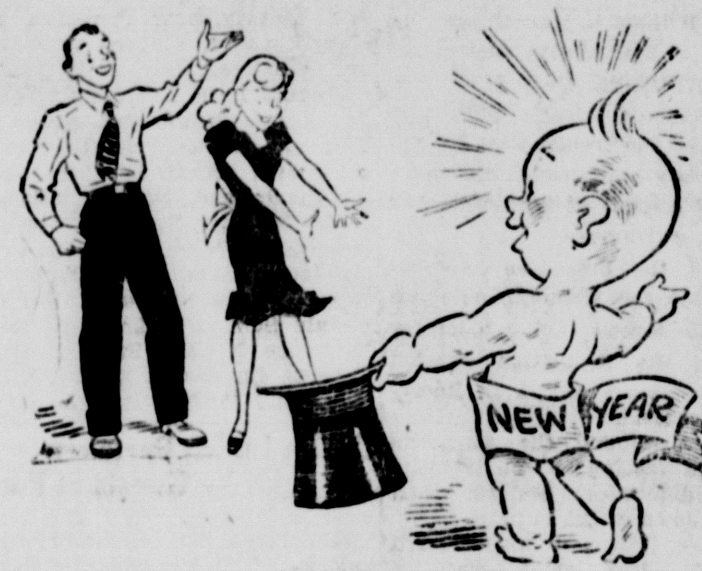
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of the winner will be published in this space Tuesday, January 7th, 1947.

Send the name, address, doctor's report and birth certificate of all babies born after midnight, December 31st, 1946, to the Bristol Courier Baby Derby Editor, not later than 5 p. m., January 6th, 1947.



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Year Ending Was Politically Notable for GOP Landslide

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The resurgent Republican party through its triumph at the polls focussed the national spotlight on a host of new leaders.

Republican Senators Bridges of New Hampshire, Taft of Ohio, and Vandenberg of Michigan are certain to dominate the Senate.

Hard-working Joe Martin of Massachusetts, a faithful GOP wheelhorse for 16 years, becomes speaker of the house and Rep. Charles A. Halleck of Indiana has strong backing for the job of floor leader.

Rep. Leo E. Allen of Illinois, whose name is comparatively unknown to the nation at large, is slated to take the helm of the all-important house rules committee.

During the year, World War II veterans made their influence impressively felt. Not only were veterans elected to both houses of Congress, but the active interest in politics shown by ex-servicemen as individuals and in groups was a significant portent of things to come.

President Truman salvaged some of his lost prestige and became definitely established as a 1948 candidate for the White House by his strong and successful stand against John L. Lewis in the soft coal shutdown.

The President took a personal hand in politics in his home state. He opposed the nomination of Democratic Rep. Roger Slaughter, who repeatedly had been an administrative stumbling block on Capitol Hill.

Slaughter was whipped in the primary by Mr. Truman's hand-picked candidate, Enos Axtell. But Axtell was soundly trounced in November by the Republican nominee, Albert L. Reeves, Jr.

The chief executive took no part in the fall campaign. This apparently was due to a decision made by Democratic Chairman Robert E. Hannegan that the President's participation would do more harm than good.

Despite Republican cries for a 20 per cent cut in income taxes and other reductions, Mr. Truman indicated as the year neared its close that he opposed tax slashes in 1947.

The GOP 1948 presidential possibilities worked together to win the 1946 congressional elections, burying their personal hatchets for the time being.

But, sensing a 1948 victory, they soon will press vigorous campaigns. Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, with a powerful and far-

reaching organization functioning smoothly, seems far out in front at the moment.

The Dewey organization is backing Rep. Halleck as house majority leader, a significant move.

Sen. Taft and Sen-elect John Bricker, Dewey's running mate in 1944, soon must decide which is to be Ohio's candidate for the presidential nomination.

Former Gov. Harold Stassen of Minnesota, despite his war record and his constant round of public appearances, is fading as a GOP "probable."

Party leaders do not dismiss Gov. Earl Warren of California as a possibility but point out that he has only a meager organization.

There is always the chance that newcomers may inject themselves authoritatively into the national scene. Such men as Sen-elect Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts and Edward Martin of Pennsylvania may have opportunities to distinguish themselves in the public eye.

As the year closes talk is heard of two great soldiers as potential candidates for the Republican presidential nomination — Douglas MacArthur and "Ike" Eisenhower.

But both MacArthur and Eisenhower have scrupulously — almost aggressively — shunned all connection with politics. Both have maintained full silence regarding any hopes or ambitions in their behalf. And neither MacArthur nor Eisenhower has an organization to foster candidacy.

Some Democrats would like to bypass Mr. Truman and "draft" Eisenhower — a Texas by birth, a Kansan by upbringing — as their candidate. It would be difficult, however, to pledge delegates to the General, so long as Mr. Truman remains in the picture.

Many members of the defeated party are hopeful that 1947 will see the return of James A. Farley to the firing line, perhaps again as national chairman.

But that, like so many other political questions, remains "with the future."

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Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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family at dinner. Numerous friends called in the afternoon to offer congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Margaretson, both of whom are 82 years old, have two daughters, eight grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren.

Officers were installed at the first anniversary dinner-dance of the Riegelsville Kiwanis Club Friday evening.

Jesse Cressman, secretary of the Quakertown club, was in charge of the installation of the following officers: Russell B. Ferris, president; Claude Wolfinger, vice president; Aaron Kroner, secretary, and Robert Bachman, treasurer.

Dr. Marvin Stamets, the retiring president, was master of ceremonies. The Honey Bee quartet, Pen Arey, entertained.

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who were serving in the Southern Italian Theatre of War. Dr. A. G. Solia was privileged to visit the churches of Naples in 1945, and he believes that "the greatest blessing for those churches is to have a hospital for their people."

A special New Year's eve service is scheduled for eight tonight in Crofton Lutheran Church, with sermon by the Rev. C. Roth, of Trenton, N. J. Holy Communion will be celebrated, the Rev. Mr.

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Croydon Methodist Church service will also be held tonight.

Nancy M. Black Has A Party on Her Birthday

Nancy M. Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Black, was tendered a birthday party at the home of her parents, 17 Fleetwing Drive, in honor of her ninth birthday anniversary, which occurred Saturday.

Games were played and prizes awarded to the winners.

Those attending: "Betty", Jane Hall, Janice McLaughlin, "Eddie" Rauss, "Bobbie" Harrison, "Doughie" Drake, Mary Lou Steffek, David Miller, "Jackie" Trembley and Gertrude De Klayer.

HULMEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Speakman and daughter, of Columbus, O., are guests of Mrs. Speakman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bartoe, on Sunday morning the Speakman's daughter, Victoria Jo Ann, was baptized in Neshaminy Methodist Church by the pastor, the Rev. Walter F. Humphrey, with Miss Joanne Bartoe as the sponsor. Mrs. Speakman, the former Phyllis Bartoe, and

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Mr. and Mrs. William Baker and daughter Dorothy, and Miss Dorothy Lovett are spending several days in Florida. "Billy" Baker is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Booz, and "Judy" Baker is staying with Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, Jr.

Mrs. George Baker, Jr., recently entertained 30 members of her sewing club at a covered dish supper at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Carlen recently entertained at dinner: Miss "Betty" Every, Morrisville; and Mrs. William Loebacker, Fullington; Lawrence Gaskell, Tullytown; Mr. and Mrs. Sandor Arch. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Jadlocki, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Lovett.

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Mrs. E. D. Rattigan Assumes The Post of Club President

CHALFONT, Dec. 31—Members of Chalfont Community Club accepted with regret a few days ago the resignation of Mrs. A. Gurney Rattigan as president. Mrs. Rattigan resigned due to ill health.

The meeting took place at the residence of Mrs. Edwin D. Rattigan, and Mrs. Carroll Tomlinson, ice-president, accepted the presidential post.

The meeting, which took the form of a Christmas party, was attended by 21 members and guests, and was in charge of Mrs. Oliver King, chairman of the hostess committee.

Two readings appropriate to the occasion were given by Mrs. Hiram Bruner, and Mrs. John R. Waller directed the group in the singing of a number of carols. This was followed by an exchange of gifts and the serving of refreshments.

In a Personal Way ---

INTERESTING items of new mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol, their goings and coming ---

To arrange for publication of the Bristol Courier, telephone Bristol 846, leaving at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton Munster, 1011 E. 10th street, and Miss Anna Munster, 1011 E. 10th street, have returned home after spending the Christmas season with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Munster and family, Lansdowne.

They also visited Mrs. Mary Pool, who is a guest at the Methodist home at Bala.

Miss Ruth Bailey, Philadelphia, spent Christmas and the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Houser, Jackson street. Mr. and Mrs. Houser also had as Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bailey, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keers, Jackson street, and Mrs. Elizabeth White, Lafayette street.

John and Linton Martin, Jr., students at Bowdoin College, Maine, are spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. E. Linton Martin, Radcliffe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster K. Bray, South Hamilton, Mass., are spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Webster Bray, Roosevelt street. Gloria Bray has been ill at her home with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Gillies, Sr., East Circle, were Christmas guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Gillies, East Circle. Mr. and Mrs. William Gillies, Sr. spent Christmas eve with Mrs.

Today's Quiet Moment

By the Rev. Woodrow W. Kern,
S. T. M., Pastor,
Trevose Methodist Church

As we this day come to the close of another year, O God may we search our hearts to see wherein we have failed Thee and the Cause for which Christ came into this world. May we take stock of our spiritual shortcomings and assets. Through our consecration and dedication unto Thee, make us strong enough to overcome the evil we have committed against Thee. We know that we fail by our own strength. Only through Thee can we walk upright. Only by our dependence upon Thee will we be able to walk in the straight and narrow way of life. Help us to realize that even as a year comes to a close, so our own lives in Thy providence shall come to a close. May we so live now that when we come before Thee, Thou mightest say of us, "Well done, good and faithful servant, thou hast been faithful over few things, I will make you ruler over many things, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." We know that we shall have a Happy New Year only as we lend our lives and talent to Thee. Guide us in that end, Amen.

Gillies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zwicker, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn, Radcliffe street, announce the engagement of their daughter "Betty" to Samuel Ennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ennis, Buckley street.

Mrs. Anna Moran, Dorrance street, spent Christmas with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Moran, Croydon. Mrs. Edward Moran and Mrs. James Nicholas, Philadelphia, were Thursday guests of Mrs. Moran. Mrs. Moran spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moran, Holmesburg, and Sunday guests of Mrs. Moran were Mr. and Mrs. William Caston, Howard Becker, Philadelphia, and Mrs. Anna Keely, Croydon.

Mrs. David Neill, Beaver street, spent Thursday in Philadelphia visiting her sister, Mrs. Esther Colburn.

Mrs. John Gavegan, Mrs. Theresa Gavegan and Miss Katharine Booth, Beaver street, spent Thursday with relatives in Philadelphia. Miss Nan Kelly, Trenton, N. J., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Gavegan.

Mrs. L. J. Bevan, Dorrance street, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spangler, Philadelphia.

Angus Gillies, 2nd, S. C. 3/c, San Diego, Cal., spent the past week

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Gillies, Sr., East Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mulholland and family, Hempstead, L. I., and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hopcock, Schumacher Drive, spent Christmas with Mrs. Elizabeth Mulholland, Farragut avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Mulholland and family remained for several days visit.

Mrs. Earl Green, Wilkinson, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green, Anderson, Ind., returned to their homes after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Scheffey, Jr., Harrison street, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ballinger, Maple Shade, Mr. and Mrs. Ballinger and guests spent Christmas at the Scheffey home. On Thursday Mrs. Ballinger, Mrs. Scheffey and children and their guests spent the day in Seaside, N. J.

Mrs. Annie Alpin, Frankford, spent Wednesday until Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Alpin, Buckley street. Marjorie Kelleher, Philadelphia, spent Thursday until Sunday with Madeline Alpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hearn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeLuca and Joseph DeLuca, Bristol, and Mr. and Mrs. Domenick Greco and family, Philadelphia, were entertained on Christmas eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Giampietro, Franklin street.

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Legion Boys Lose Game By
One-Sided Score of
44 to 23

GENCO IS THE STAR

Keystone Boys Had the Lead
From Very Start
of Game

By virtue of a one-sided win over the Legion Cadets, the Keystone Oilers moved into a deadlock for sixth place in the Bristol Youth League last night. Final score of the tilt played on the Mutual Aid floor was: Keystone Oil, 44; Cadets, 23.

Pacing the offensive attack of the Keystone Oilers was Joe Genco, who shook the cords for five double-deckers and a foul. Gene Barbetta was close behind with four fielders and a foul. The Keystone team had the lead from the start and with Rago getting the ball off the boards continually it was an easy win.

In handling the Cadets their fifth straight loss, the Oilers scored 19 field goals, 11 coming in the first half which saw them hop in front by a 25-13 count.

American Legion				
	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Tot.
Repetski f	2	1	2	6
Potach f	1	1	2	3
Boch f	0	0	0	0
Baker f	0	0	1	0
Asa f	1	0	3	2
France c	2	0	0	4
Centofante g	1	1	1	3
Campbell g	1	0	0	2
Harm g	2	0	0	4
Keystone Oil				
Barbetta f	4	1	2	9
Asa f	1	0	1	2
Clotti f	1	1	3	3
Rago c	3	2	3	8
Clambella g	4	1	1	9
Sione g	0	0	0	0
Genco c	5	1	3	11
Ferraro g	1	0	1	2
Indelicato c	0	0	1	0
Cadets				
	10	3	9	23

Referee: Smith.
Timer: Centenze.
Scorer: Trasatti.
Half-time score:
Keystone, 25; Legion, 13

ST. ANN'S SCHOOL WINS

The St. Ann's parochial school quintet maintained its grip on second place in the Bristol Junior League by whipping the Legion Juniors, 32-18, in the first game on the Mutual Aid floor. It was the fourth win of the season for the St. Ann's youngsters. Whyno led the scorers of the game with 11 points.

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CELTICS NO MATCH FOR 5TH WARD SPORTERS

The Fifth Ward Sporters took undisputed possession of second place in the Bristol Youth League by shellacking the Celtics, 61-31, last night on the Mutual Aid wooden ways.

The Sporters cut the cords for a total of 28 field goals and made shots from all angles of the court. The fast passing of the Fifth Ward team was just too much for the Celtics' defense which crumbled early in the game.

Outstanding in the winners' triumph was "Ed" Mazzanti who made 22 points to take the spotlight from "Vince" DiTanna who was good for 16 points. Mazzanti had five field goals and a foul in each half.

Murphy was high scorer for the fading Celtics with 11 points.

Fifth Ward Sporters				
	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Tot.
DiTanna f	7	2	2	16
Staley f	0	0	1	0
P. Pica f	0	0	0	0
S. Pica f	1	0	0	2
Mancini f	2	1	1	5
Favorosa c	4	0	1	8
Mazzanti g	10	2	4	22
Marrone g	0	0	0	0
Holden g	2	0	0	6
Mannocchi g	4	0	1	2
Celtics				
	28	5	10	61

Celtics				
	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Tot.
Murphy f	5	1	1	11
Kohler f	0	0	0	0
Harmon f	2	0	2	6
Singer f	0	0	1	1
Wallick c	1	1	1	3
Sorrie g	1	1	2	3
Killian g	1	1	1	3
Meyers g	1	0	0	2
DePaul g	1	0	0	2
Sackville g	0	0	1	0
Referee: Smith.				
Timer: Caucci.				
Scorer: Trasatti.				
Half-time score:				
Fifth Ward, 30; Celtics, 11				

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Baby Derby Opens Here at Midnight

Continued from Page One
The rules and regulations for the Derby are very simple. They are as follows:

The winning entry must be born of parents living in Bristol or surrounding vicinity, and all entries must be born after midnight, December 31st, 1946. Send the name, address, doctor's report and birth certificate of all babies born after midnight Tuesday to the Baby Derby Editor, c/o The Bristol Courier. This information, which will be returned in every case, must be received at the Courier not later than 5 p. m., January 6th, 1947.

No baby will be considered an entry in the Derby unless the information requested above is sent to the Derby Editor. No entries may be made by telephone.

The name, address, and time of arrival of the winner will be published in the Courier on Tuesday, January 7th, 1947.

The list of co-operating merchants, whose advertisements appear in another section of today's Courier, together with the lovely

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J. S. Lynn, jeweler, will present the Derby winner with a 10-k gold signet ring; Smith's Model Shop, a silk baby quilt; Auto Boys, a little cuddly fur animal from their toy department.

Straus Cut Rate will give two beautiful Johnson & Johnson Baby Gift boxes, containing soap, cream, oil and powder; Paroly's will give the winner 3 dozen diapers.

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